

Office of Financial Management
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Recruitment Announcement

Classified Recruitment

Position: Information Technology Specialist 3 or 4 - Software Test Specialist

OFM is a non-represented Agency

Location: Olympia, Washington

Overview: OFM's Accounting Division is currently recruiting for a Software Test Specialist to work on multiple application enhancement tasks and development projects.

Under the direction of the Project Manager or the Lead Software Test Specialist, serves as a Software Test Specialist working with OFM project teams and individual developers. Coordinates with project managers, product managers, system developers, network services, other testers, and data administration to develop, manage, and maintain test standards, test plans, test data, and test cases for OFM application systems on multiple hardware and software platforms, particularly those written in the .NET application language.

This position serves as Software Test Specialist responsible for statewide mission-critical applications by using Quality Assurance (QA) testing processes to assure that OFM's major production systems are of the highest possible quality.

Technologies used include Microsoft technologies: SQL Server 2000, Visual Studio & Visual Studio .NET; Business Objects Crystal Reports; Seapine TestTrackPro defect tracking tool and Visual SourceSafe Change Management software.

There is one position open at this time. The classification is ITS3 or ITS4 depending on qualifications, salary range 54 or 58.

Desirable Qualifications: One year's experience as a software test specialist and working knowledge of standard QA/Testing processes, tools, and techniques on one or more of the technologies listed above.

Proven ability to function effectively in a highly collaborative work environment and effectively communicate with team members possessing diverse communication styles.

Ability to gain an understanding of business processes and with an ability to listen and understand complex technical issues.

Demonstrated commitment to teamwork, customer service, and fixing problems under tight deadlines.

Knowledge of Accounting and/or Budgeting systems and SQL Query and Stored Procedure experience is a plus.

Process:

Interested applicants should submit the following: (1) a letter of interest, describing specific qualifications for the position; (2) a current resume, detailing experience, education, and current salary; (3) a list of three professional references with current telephone numbers; and (4) Personal Data sheet

www.ofm.wa.gov/jobs/datasheet.doc to: Employee Services, Office of Financial Management, P.O. Box 43113, Olympia, WA 98504-3113 or email Susan.Latham@OFM.WA.GOV or FAX 360-664-7660.

No later than August 15, 2006.

The top candidates will be invited to an interview to determine the finalists for this position. Since the selection will be based on information provided by the candidates, it is in the candidate's best interest to address the desirable qualifications of the job as they apply to their knowledge, skills, and abilities.

The Office of Financial Management is an equal opportunity employer. Women, racial and ethnic minorities, persons of disability, persons over 40 years of age, and disabled and Vietnam era veterans are encouraged to apply. Persons of disability needing assistance in the application process, or those needing this job announcement in an alternative format, may call 360/664-7659 or the Telecommunications Device for the Deaf 360/664-3649.